GINJI.
OUT
SIDER
LATER ON, SNEAK BACK HERE AND GRAB THE PISTOL THAT KILLED CROSS.
YUP.
TAKE FINGERPRINTS AND MAKE SURE MONDO DOESN'T FIND OUT.
MONDO'S STORY IS A LIE!
CROSS'S SHIRT HAS HUGE BURNS ON IT. THOSE WOUNDS COME FROM SOMEONE PUTTING A GUN RIGHT UP TO HIS BELLY AND SHOOTING.

HEEEY, MONDO, OVER HERE!
YEAH.
IT WENT GREAT, SAKABE.
AFTER ALL THAT, WE'RE SAFE.
THIS WAY.
WE'VE NEVER BEEN PAST THIS POINT, EITHER.
AND SO BEYOND HERE, THERE'S NO ONE EXCEPT MAYBE THE GHOSTS. COULD EVEN BE THAT ILLUSION OF A MAN YOU SAID YOU SAW!
'COURSE, I JUST MEAN AFTER THE QUAKE.
THERE'S NO WAY ANYONE COULD GET CLOSE.

YOU MEAN VIOLENCE JACK?
THAT GUY IS NO ILLUSION.
IF HE WAS THE ONE STANDING BETWEEN US AND THE GOLD, I DOUBT WE COULD TAKE IT--
WITHOUT HAVING TO KILL HIM.
THE VAULT IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER.
IT'S ALMOST LIKE YOU CAN SMELL THE GOLD.
NO, THAT'S THE SMELL OF SOMETHING BURNING. SOMETHING'S GETTING BURNED UP!
AH-!

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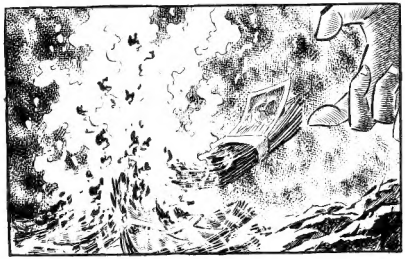

VIOLENCE JACK!

THERE'S NO WAY. WHY IS THIS MAN HERE?
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THE GOLD IS GONE!
IT'S GONE!
JACK?
IT'S SOOOO HEAVY.
BWAAH

HURRY IT UP.
HNGH
HRR YAHH
HUP
BUNTA'SH GONNA BE RIGHT THERE!
OKEY DOKE!
I'VE GOT IT. THANKS FOR YOUR HELP.
PHEW! PHEW!

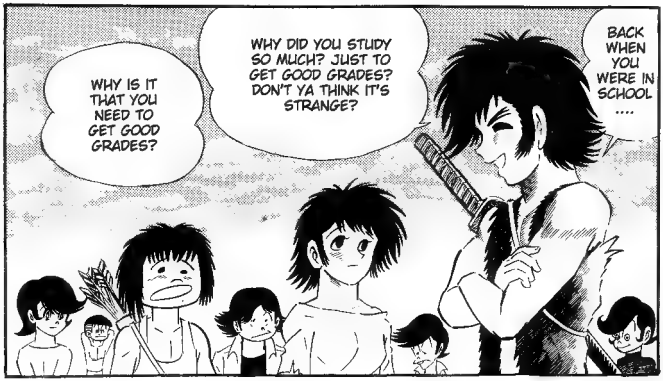
JUST THAT ONE PIECE, EVEN A FRAGMENT, WOULD BECOME A SOURCE OF DISASTER FOR US ALL!
YOU SAW IT, TOO. THE RIDICULOUS WAY THEY ALL KILLED EACH OTHER IN EL DORADO.
NO WAY!
ONE PIECE? NOT EVEN ONE PIECE, TAKUMA?

THAT'S ADULTS FOR YA!
THAT'S THE REAL NATURE OF PEOPLE. NOW, IN KANTO, THERE'S NO RULE OF LAW.
SO PEOPLE'S TRUE CHARACTER ENDS UP OUT IN PLAIN VIEW!
THEY DON'T CRAVE ANY MORE THAN THAT. YOU COULD SAY THEY DON'T EVEN SEEM TO ENJOY IT.
BUT PEOPLE ARE DIFFERENT. THEY KNOW THE LUXURY OF OVER-EATING.
IN THEIR TRUE FORM, PEOPLE ARE MORE TERRIFYING THAN BEASTS....
BEASTS ONLY KILL ENOUGH SO THEY CAN EAT.
THEM ....
SO PEOPLE'S GREED KNOWS NO LIMITS!
ALL THE KILLING THAT SURROUNDED THE GOLD IN EL DORADO IS SOMETHING THAT'S REPEATED ITSELF OVER AND OVER ACROSS HUMAN HISTORY.
SAD AS THAT IS.

THERE WAS A TIME WHEN THEY EVEN USED NUCLEAR WEAPONS.
THEY KILL PEOPLE. HURT PEOPLE. TRAMPLE ALL OVER PEOPLE'S SPIRITS.
ALL TO GET WHATEVER WILL FEED THEIR OWN DESIRES.
PEOPLE FIGHT PEOPLE. VILLAGES FIGHT VILLAGES. COUNTRIES FIGHT COUNTRIES.

YOU THINK SO? I WON'T BELIEVE THAT.
THE PEOPLE GATHERED IN EL DORADO ARE A SPECIAL CASE. THEY'RE NOTHING BUT A BUNCH OF YAKUZA, RIGHT?
THAT'S WHY THEY FIGHT LIKE THAT.

HUMAN HISTORY WILL SHOW YOU THAT'S JUST HOW PEOPLE ARE!
THERE'S NOTHING ESPECIALLY BAD ABOUT THE PEOPLE GATHERED IN EL DORADO!

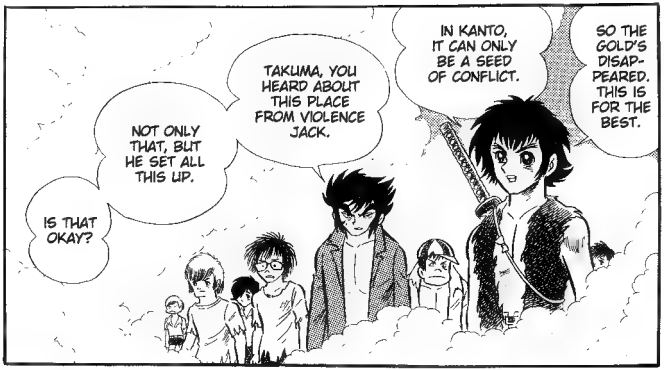

WHY IS IT THAT YOU NEED TO GET GOOD GRADES?
WHY DID YOU STUDY SO MUCH? JUST TO GET GOOD GRADES? DON'T YA THINK IT'S STRANGE?
BACK WHEN YOU WERE IN SCHOOL ....

WHY DID YOUR PARENTS WANT YOU TO GO TO A GOOD SCHOOL?
SO YOU HAD A FUTURE AT A LEADING COMPANY.
I'M SURE THAT WAS THEIR ANSWER.
SO YOU CAN GET INTO A GOOD HIGH SCHOOL. SO YOU CAN GET INTO A GOOD COLLEGE.
DO IT, OR YOU WON'T GET INTO A GOOD SCHOOL.
YOU STUDIED 'CAUSE THAT'S WHAT YOU WERE TOLD.
HUH?
BE MORE SUCCESSFUL THAN YOUR FATHER. THAT'S THE TYPE OF STUFF THEY'D SAY.
SO WHY IS IT YOU HAD TO GET AHEAD OF OTHER PEOPLE?
WELL, THE MORE SUCCESSFUL SOMEONE IS, THE MORE MONEY THEY HAVE!
IT WAS SO YOU COULD EAT BETTER THINGS THAN OTHER PEOPLE. BETTER THAN THEM, EVEN!
IT WAS SO YOU'D HAVE MORE LUXURY THAN OTHER PEOPLE!

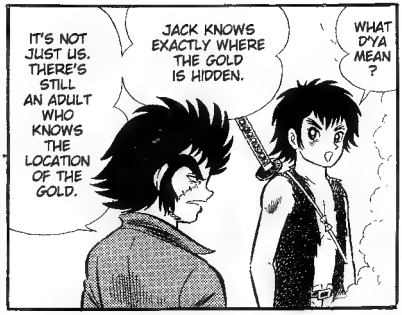
HOW DIFFERENT IS THAT FROM THE YAKUZA KILLING PEOPLE TO GET THEIR HANDS ON THE GOLD IN EL DORADO....? I MEAN, IF THERE'S ANY DIFFERENCE AT ALL.
I'M NOT REALLY SURE.
DON'T LET OTHER PEOPLE GET THE HUGE HOUSE! GET IT FOR YOURSELF!
THAT'S THE REASON KIDS WERE FORCED TO STUDY 'TIL THEY DROPPED!
IN THE OLD SOCIETY, STUDYING WAS THE WEAPON THAT GOT YOU GOLD. NOW, IN KANTO, THE WEAPONS ARE SWORDS AND PISTOLS.
HAHAHAHA, THAT IS HOW YOU'D THINK.
IF IT LEAD TO LUXURY, I'DA BEEN HAPPY TO STUDY.
AHH, IS THAT IT? IF I'D KNOWN, I WOULDA STUDIED MORE!
JUST LIKE IN EL DORADO ....
SO PEOPLE ARE BRUTALLY KILLING EACH OTHER!

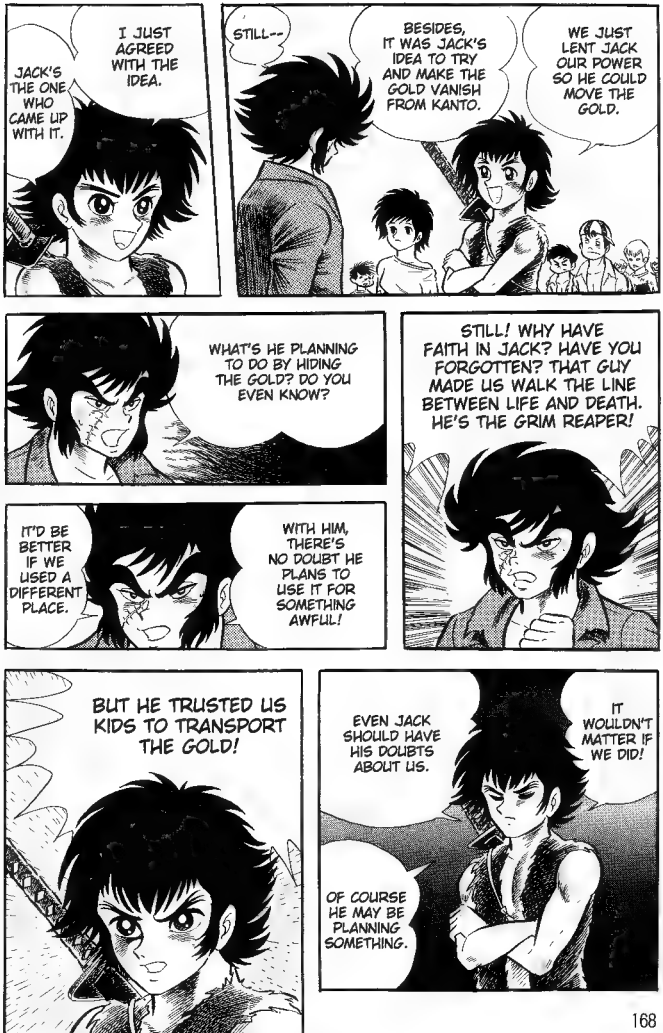
FINE THEN, UNTIL YOU TALK, I'M GONNA DISH OUT THE WORST TORTURE YOU CAN IMAGINE! SHOULD I RIP YOUR EARS OFF OR CRUSH YOUR EYES OUT?
DON'T TELL ME AND I'LL KILL YA!
HOW DO YOU THINK IT WOULD GO WITH GUYS WHO SAW THE GOLD? IT'D BE LIKE THIS-- WHERE'D YOU GET IT!?
IF WE TRIED TO EXCHANGE THE GOLD FOR SOMETHING--
WAH!
IF WE HAVE A LITTLE BIT, THEN WE MUST KNOW WHERE A LOT MORE IS, RIGHT!?
THAT'S RIGHT!
E-E-E- EVEN FOR JUST A LITTLE!?
AWW WWH

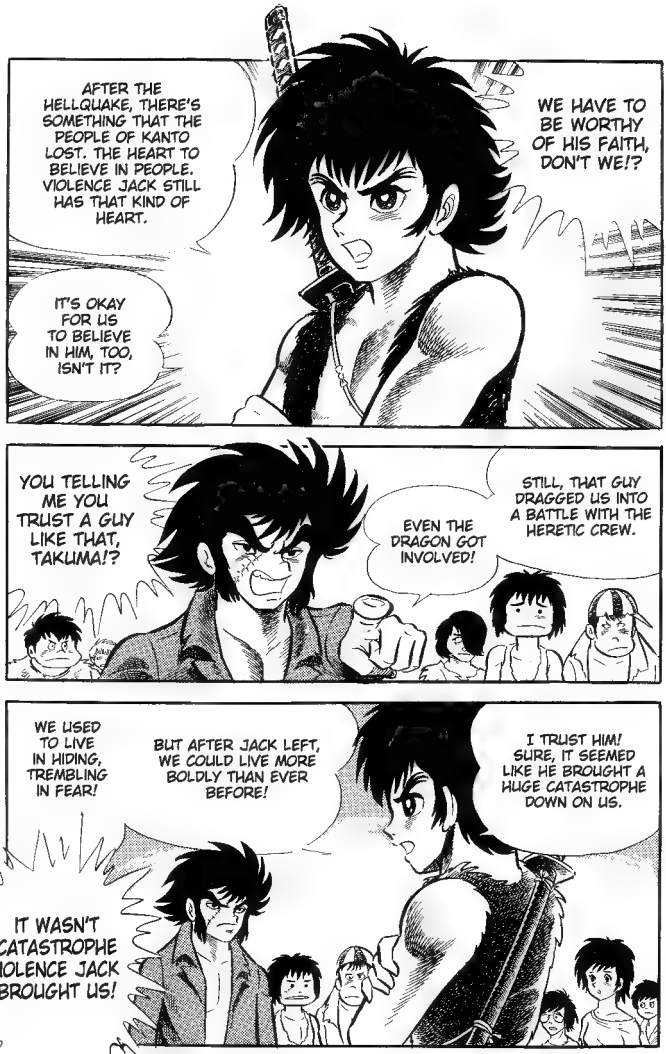
MMH!
IT JUSHT SHLIPPED OFF WHEN I FELL AND I PICKED IT UP!
SO YOU FELL ON PURPOSE, EARLIER.
THISH ISH BAD.
AW-RIGHT, LET'S FILL IT UP!
THERE AIN'T ANYONE ELSE WHO POCKETED GOLD, IS THERE!?


SO THE GOLD'S DISAP-PEARED. THIS IS FOR THE BEST.
IN KANTO, IT CAN ONLY BE A SEED OF CONFLICT.
TAKUMA, YOU HEARD ABOUT THIS PLACE FROM VIOLENCE JACK.
NOT ONLY THAT, BUT HE SET ALL THIS UP.
IS THAT OKAY?

HAHAHA!! THE GOLD DOESN'T BELONG TO US.


WHAT D'YA MEAN ?
JACK KNOWS EXACTLY WHERE THE GOLD IS HIDDEN.
IT'S NOT JUST US. THERE'S STILL AN ADULT WHO KNOWS THE LOCATION OF THE GOLD.


I JUST AGREED WITH THE IDEA.
JACK'S THE ONE WHO CAME UP WITH IT.
STILL--
BESIDES, IT WAS JACK'S IDEA TO TRY AND MAKE THE GOLD VANISH FROM KANTO.
WE JUST LENT JACK OUR POWER SO HE COULD MOVE THE GOLD.
WHAT'S HE PLANNING TO DO BY HIDING THE GOLD? DO YOU EVEN KNOW?
STILL! WHY HAVE FAITH IN JACK? HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN? THAT GUY MADE US WALK THE LINE BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH. HE'S THE GRIM REAPER!
IT'D BE BETTER IF WE USED A DIFFERENT PLACE.
WITH HIM, THERE'S NO DOUBT HE PLANS TO USE IT FOR SOMETHING AWFUL!
BUT HE TRUSTED US KIDS TO TRANSPORT THE GOLD!
EVEN JACK SHOULD HAVE HIS DOUBTS ABOUT US.
IT WOULDN'T MATTER IF WE DID!
OF COURSE HE MAY BE PLANNING SOMETHING.

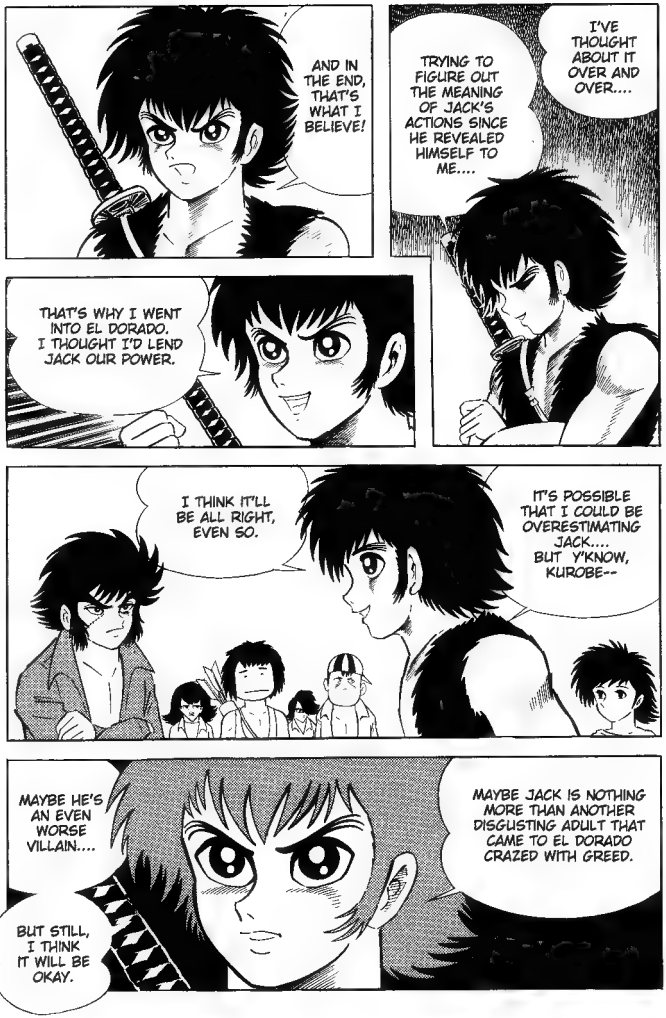

AFTER THE HELLQUAKE, THERE'S SOMETHING THAT THE PEOPLE OF KANTO LOST. THE HEART TO BELIEVE IN PEOPLE. VIOLENCE JACK STILL HAS THAT KIND OF HEART.
IT'S OKAY FOR US TO BELIEVE IN HIM, TOO, ISN'T IT?
WE HAVE TO BE WORTHY OF HIS FAITH, DON'T WE!?
YOU TELLING ME YOU TRUST A GUY LIKE THAT, TAKUMA!?
EVEN THE DRAGON GOT INVOLVED!
STILL, THAT GUY DRAGGED US INTO A BATTLE WITH THE HERETIC CREW.
WE USED TO LIVE IN HIDING, TREMBLING IN FEAR!
BUT AFTER JACK LEFT, WE COULD LIVE MORE BOLDLY THAN EVER BEFORE!
I TRUST HIM! SURE, IT SEEMED LIKE HE BROUGHT A HUGE CATASTROPHE DOWN ON US.
IT WASN'T CATASTROPHE VIOLENCE JACK BROUGHT US!

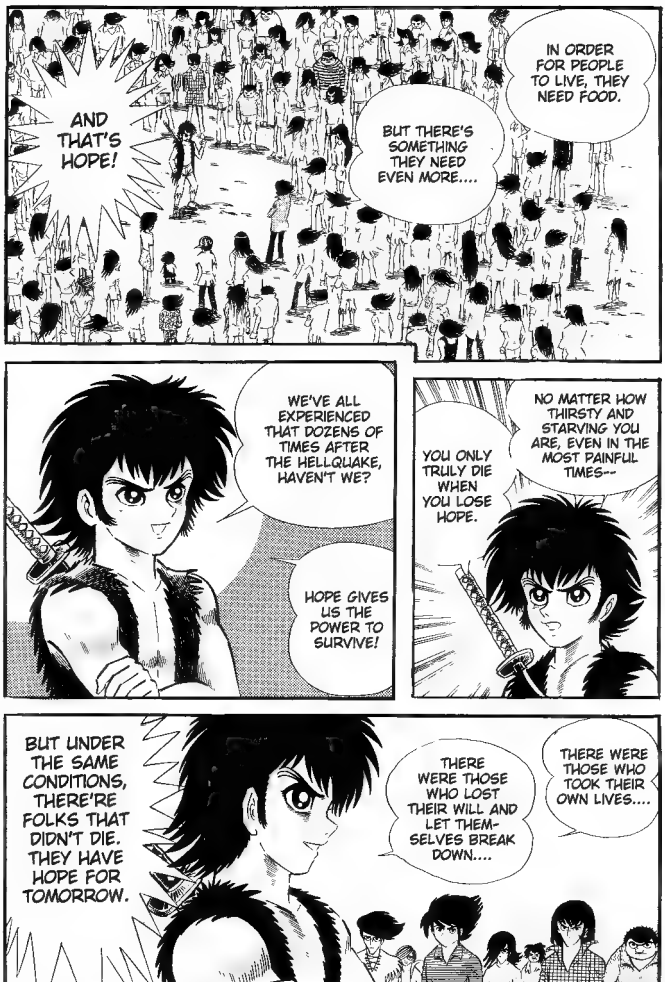
NOBODY HAS TRIED TO STEAL OUR FISH SINCE THEN!
IT WAS A WAY FOR WEAKLINGS LIKE US TO SURVIVE IN KANTO!
NOBODY'S TRIED TO PICK FIGHTS WITH US FOR A LAUGH!
WE COULDA BEEN KILLED BY THE DRAGON.
BUT STILL.... YOU CAN SAY STUFF LIKE THAT 'CAUSE WE WON.
HE TAUGHT US THAT IN KANTO, YOU CAN'T STAY ALIVE UNLESS YOU SHOW OFF YOUR POWER TO THE PEOPLE AROUND YOU!
WEAKLINGS CAN'T LIVE IN KANTO.
IF WE HAD DIED THERE, WE'D HAVE BEEN KILLED NO MATTER WHERE WE HAD GONE.
DID YOU FORGET THE FINAL MESSAGE JACK LEFT WITH ME?
HE SAID EXACTLY THAT.

I DO HOPE WE MEET!
BUT EVEN SO!
I MAY NEVER MEET HIM AGAIN--
VIOLENCE JACK ISN'T A GRIM REAPER WHO SUMMONED A CATASTROPHE TO DESTROY US!
IT'S MORE LIKE HE WAS GIVING US A TEST TO MAKE US STRONGER!
SO THAT YOUNGER GENERATIONS LIKE US COULD MAKE IT IN KANTO.
I DON'T KNOW WHAT VIOLENCE JACK IS, BUT STILL--!
IT MAY JUST BE THAT HE'S GOT HOPE FOR OUR FUTURE.

I'M SURE VIOLENCE JACK IS A MAN WHO'S TRYING TO RESTORE THE TRUE KANTO!

WHOA!


AND IN THE END, THAT'S WHAT I BELIEVE!
I'VE THOUGHT ABOUT IT OVER AND OVER....
TRYING TO FIGURE OUT THE MEANING OF JACK'S ACTIONS SINCE HE REVEALED HIMSELF TO ME....
THAT'S WHY I WENT INTO EL DORADO. I THOUGHT I'D LEND JACK OUR POWER.
I THINK IT'LL BE ALL RIGHT, EVEN SO.
IT'S POSSIBLE THAT I COULD BE OVERESTIMATING JACK.... BUT Y'KNOW, KUROBE--
MAYBE JACK IS NOTHING MORE THAN ANOTHER DISGUSTING ADULT THAT CAME TO EL DORADO CRAZED WITH GREED.
MAYBE HE'S AN EVEN WORSE VILLAIN....
BUT STILL, I THINK IT WILL BE OKAY.


IN ORDER FOR PEOPLE TO LIVE, THEY NEED FOOD.
BUT THERE'S SOMETHING THEY NEED EVEN MORE....
AND THAT'S HOPE!
WE'VE ALL EXPERIENCED THAT DOZENS OF TIMES AFTER THE HELLQUAKE, HAVEN'T WE?
HOPE GIVES US THE POWER TO SURVIVE!
NO MATTER HOW THIRSTY AND STARVING YOU ARE, EVEN IN THE MOST PAINFUL TIMES--
YOU ONLY TRULY DIE WHEN YOU LOSE HOPE.
BUT UNDER THE SAME CONDITIONS, THERE'RE FOLKS THAT DIDN'T DIE. THEY HAVE HOPE FOR TOMORROW.
THERE WERE THOSE WHO LOST THEIR WILL AND LET THEM-SELVES BREAK DOWN....
THERE WERE THOSE WHO TOOK THEIR OWN LIVES....

THERE'S HOPE.
AND IN VIOLENCE JACK--
JUST LIKE WE ARE! AHA HAHA
THEY'RE THE ONES DESPER-ATELY TRYIN' TO LIVE!
THERE'S SOMETHING THAT CAN GIVE US ALL HOPE.
C'MON, YOU KNOW ITS TRUE!

I FEEL LIKE THERE'S NO WAY FOR US TO SURVIVE.
BUT EVEN SO, WE CAN HOLD ON TO A DREAM LIKE THAT.
MAYBE IT'S ONLY A QUICK DREAM.
THAT'S WHAT I BELIEVE. LET'S GO HOME, KUROBE....
VIOLENCE JACK WILL USE THE GOLD TO BRING US A NEW WORLD, SOMEHOW.

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WHERE DID YOU PUT THE GOLD !?
NO, NOOOO!
YOU CAN'T USE THE GOLD FOR NOTHIN' ONCE YOU'RE DEAD!
YOU BASTARD, WE'LL LIGHT YOU UP!

HOLD UP!

HOW 'BOUT WE STRIKE A DEAL?

A GENTLE-MAN'S AGREE-MENT?

THIS GUY DOESN'T SEEM LIKE THE TYPE TO RESPOND TO THREATS OR TORTURE.

GO FOR MY DEAL, YOU CAN GET AWAY UNSCATHED. YOU'RE UP FOR IT, AREN'T YA?
JACK, AT THIS POINT, I DOUBT EVEN YOU COULD GET OUTTA EL DORADO SAFELY.
A DUEL!
MONDO!
W-WHAT DID HE SAY....?

CAN JUST RUN OFF WITH THE GOLD!
IF I LOSE, I WON'T LET THE RAKSHASA GANG TOUCH YOU.
VIOLENCE JACK, I'LL GUARANTEE YOUR LIFE.
AND THEN YOU....
WITH JUST ONE SHOT APIECE!
BAZOOKAS ARE THE WEAPON!
I GET THE FEELING NOTHIN' LESS THAN A BAZOOKA'S GONNA KILL A MONSTER LIKE YOU!

I'VE BEEN PUTTIN' MY LIFE ON THE LINE FOR THE GOLD UP TO THIS POINT.
THAT WAY THERE'S NO WEIGHT HANDICAP, EITHER!
VERY WELL! A LITTLE DEVIL LIKE YOU....
WHY NOT GO FOR IT JUST ONE MORE TIME!?
CAN'T BE LEFT TO RUN AMOK IN KANTO ANY LONGER!

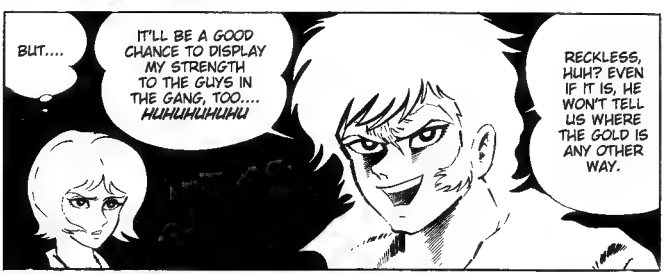
DRAWN ON MY BODY. IF THE DUEL GOES YOUR WAY, IT SHOULD SUFFICE.
THERE'LL BE A MAP SHOWING YOU WHERE THE GOLD IS....
THAT'S GREAT.

LET'S FIND OUT!

ON THE HILL AT THE SOUTHERN TIP OF EL DORADO!
WE DO IT TOMOR-ROW AT NOON!
I'M A LITTLE DEVIL? A DEVIL?

WHY MAKE SUCH A RECKLESS GAMBLE?

MASTER MONDO ....


BUT....
IT'LL BE A GOOD CHANCE TO DISPLAY MY STRENGTH TO THE GUYS IN THE GANG, TOO.... HUHUHUHUHU
RECKLESS, HUH? EVEN IF IT IS, HE WON'T TELL US WHERE THE GOLD IS ANY OTHER WAY.

HUH HUH HU!
LOSE....? ME?
BUT IF, BY SOME CHANCE, YOU WERE TO LOSE....
AND IF WE CAN GET THE GOLD IN THE PROCESS, ISN'T THAT A PLUS?
BESIDES, THIS IS A CHANCE TO BURY A TOUGH ENEMY LIKE VIOLENCE JACK.
MONDO, IF YOU DIE SO QUICKLY, I'LL BE....
'CAUSE IN PLACE OF GUNPOWDER, WE'RE GONNA PACK HIS BAZOOKA'S SHELL WITH SAND....
NO WAY AM I GONNA LOSE.
....
MY BAZOOKA WILL BE THE ONLY ONE WITH ANY SPARK!
VIOLENCE JACK'S BAZOOKA ISN'T GONNA FIRE!

AND SO DO YOU!
THE KANTO RAKSHASA GANG'S GOTTA DO WHATEVER I WANT 'EM TO!
LISTEN! IF I DEFEAT JACK AND GET THE GOLD--!

WATCH HIM.
I'M CONCERNED ABOUT THE SLUM KING'S MOVE-MENTS....
RIGHT!
IS THAT SO....
RYU TAKUMA BURIED THE GOLD IN THE DESIGNATED PLACE....
IF IT SEEMS LIKE THE KING IS MAKING A MOVE....
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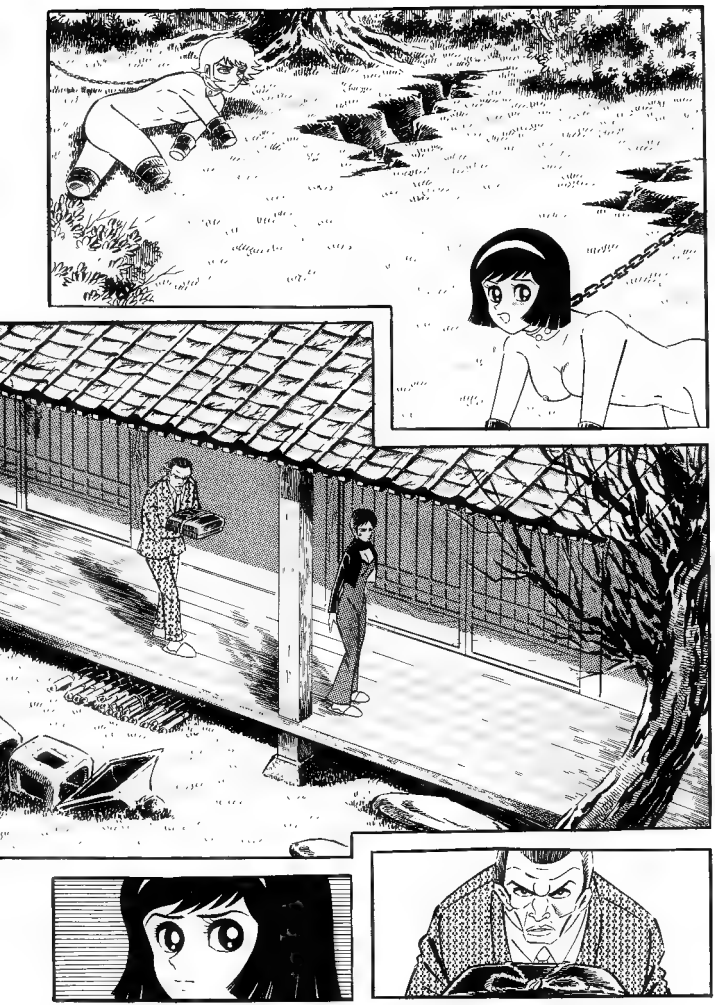
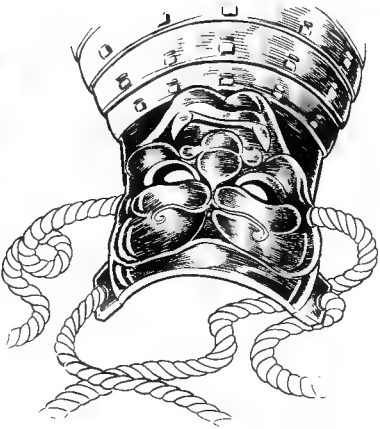
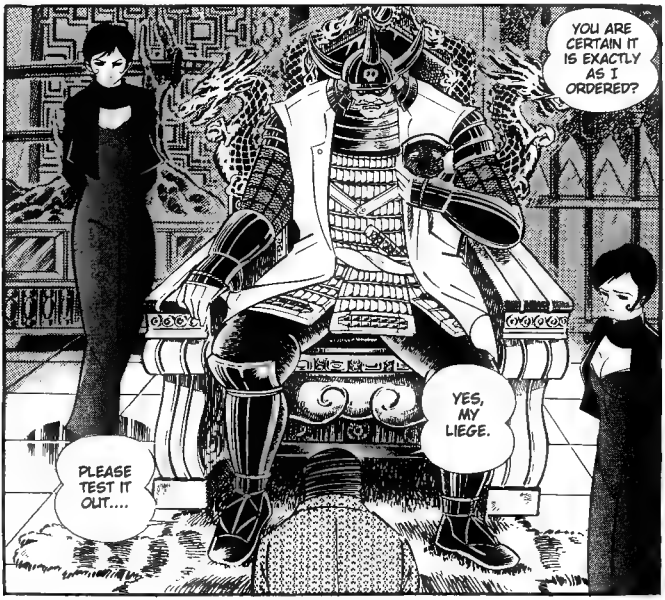
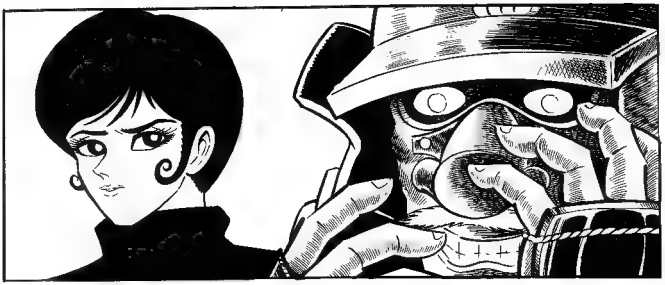
THERE'S NOTHING YOU CAN DO.... WITH YOUR STRENGTH, YOU WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO STOP THE SLUM KING, WOULD YOU?

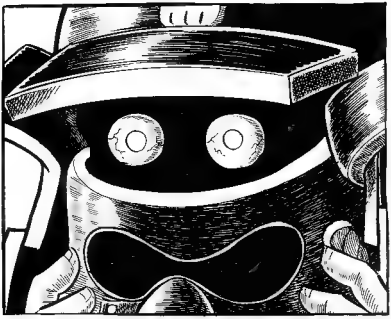
GO!

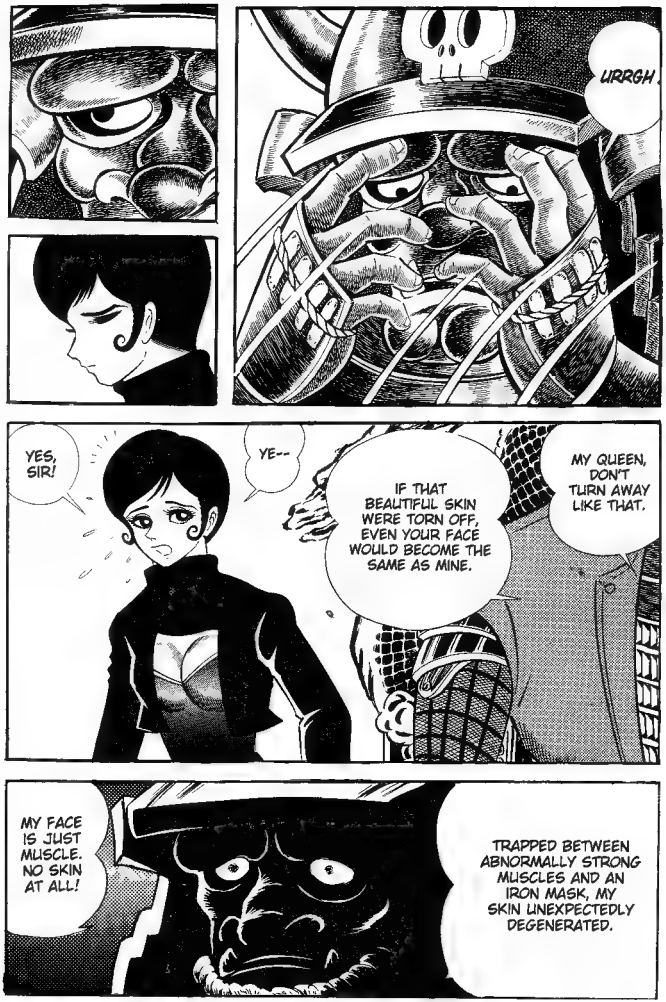





YOU ARE CERTAIN IT IS EXACTLY AS I ORDERED?
YES, MY LIEGE.
PLEASE TEST IT OUT....






URRGH.
YES, SIR!
YE--
IF THAT BEAUTIFUL SKIN WERE TORN OFF, EVEN YOUR FACE WOULD BECOME THE SAME AS MINE.
MY QUEEN, DON'T TURN AWAY LIKE THAT.
MY FACE IS JUST MUSCLE. NO SKIN AT ALL!
TRAPPED BETWEEN ABNORMALLY STRONG MUSCLES AND AN IRON MASK, MY SKIN UNEXPECTEDLY DEGENERATED.

HA HA HA !!
THAT IS THE REAL FACE OF THE SLUM KING!
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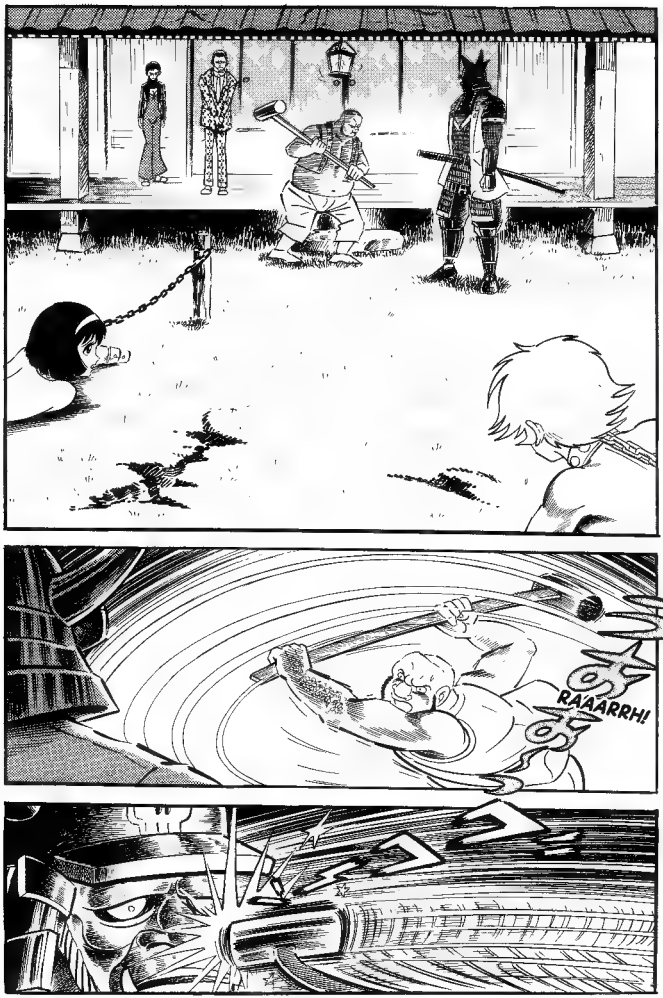
RAAARRH!

THIS MASK IS MAGNIF-ICENT!
WA HA HA HA
AH!
IT IS NOTHING AT ALL.
JACK, BEFORE LONG NOW, I'M GOING TO PUT YOU DOWN, MORE EASILY THAN TAKING CANDY FROM A BABY!
WITH THIS MASK, EVEN THE IRON FISTS OF VIOLENCE JACK CANNOT TOUCH ME!

WHAT!!

THE REPORT WAS SENT FOR YOUR LIEGE BY MY DAUGHTER TSUBASA NISHIKIORI, BOSS OF THE KANTO RAKSHASA GANG.
YES, SIR. MONDO SAOTOME WILL BE DUELING VIOLENCE JACK FOR THE GOLD.
IS THIS TRUE!?
YOU SHALL BE STRONGER THAN EVER BEFORE!
THE TIME IS RIPE, MY KING. YOUR FATE LIES IN EL DORADO.
MY QUEEN.
YOU CANNOT BALK NOW!
ALL IS MOVING IN YOUR FAVOR, AND YOU WILL HAVE A CHANCE TO DEFEAT VIOLENCE JACK.

THE ENTIRE AREA AROUND EL DORADO IS SWIRLING WITH OMINOUS BLACK CLOUDS....
A CONCERN ....?
I HAVE ONLY ONE CONCERN!
IF I MAY BE SO BOLD, I MUST ASK YOU TO REFRAIN FROM SETTING FOOT NEAR EL DORADO!
ONLY THAT THEY ARE A TERRIBLE PREMONITION.
BUT I DON'T KNOW WHAT THEY COULD MEAN.
THERE IS NOTHING TO FEAR. MY PLAN WILL BE FLAWLESS AND I WILL BURY JACK!
HUHUHU, MY QUEEN.
YOU'RE SAYING I SHOULD GIVE UP A CHANCE TO DEFEAT VIOLENCE JACK!?

SIR!
MAKE THE PREP-ARATIONS!
THE DRAGON'S HEAVY CAVALRY CORPS IS MOVING OUT!
THE DRAGON'S HEAVY CAVALRY CORPS!
THE DRAGON'S HEAVY CAVALRY CORPS.
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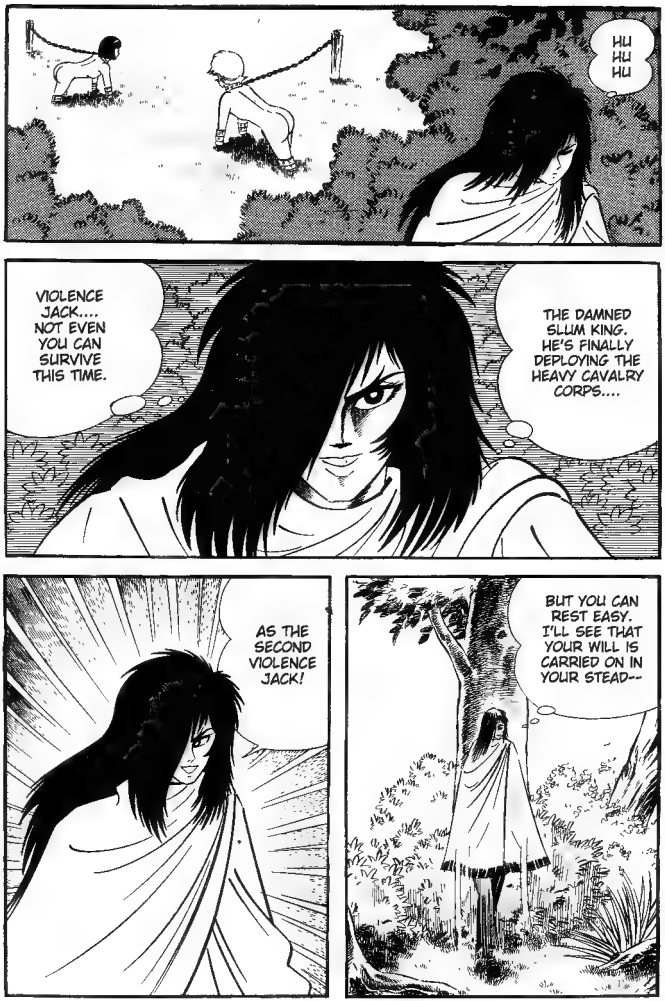
THEY ARE THE DRAGON'S HEAVY CAVALRY CORPS!

AND THUS STANDS THE DRAGON'S HEAVY CAVALRY CORPS! ASSEMBLED BY THE DEMON LORD SLUM KING TO BE THE STRONGEST MILITARY COMPANY IN KANTO!

THE ARMORED RIDERS! A WARRIOR CORPS MOUNTED ON HORSEBACK, EQUIPPED WITH MACHINE GUNS, BAZOOKAS, MORTARS, ROCKET LAUNCHERS, FLAMETHROWERS AND OTHER MODERN WEAPONS. ON THE GREAT PLAINS OF KANTO, LITTERED WITH FISSURES AND DEBRIS, THEIR MOBILITY MAKES THEM EVEN MORE POWERFUL THAN TANKS OR ARMORED CARS!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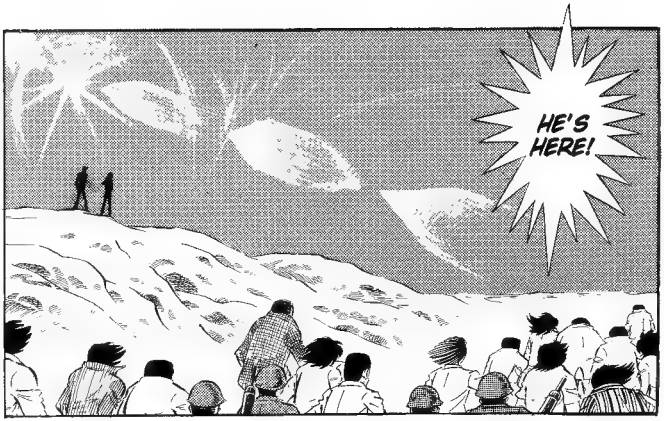
VIOLENCE JACK.... NOT EVEN YOU CAN SURVIVE THIS TIME.
THE DAMNED SLUM KING. HE'S FINALLY DEPLOYING THE HEAVY CAVALRY CORPS....
AS THE SECOND VIOLENCE JACK!
BUT YOU CAN REST EASY. I'LL SEE THAT YOUR WILL IS CARRIED ON IN YOUR STEAD--

?
MONDO, IT'S ALMOST TIME.
Y'THINK JACK'LL SHOW?


HE'S HERE!

IF YOU GO AND DIE, I WON'T HAVE ANYTHING LEFT TO LIVE FOR IN KANTO!

SURE, I AIN'T GONNA LOSE.
DON'T DIE, MONDO!
DON'T LOSE, MONDO!

BUT I STILL AIN'T GONNA GIVE YOU THE RELIEF OF TELLIN' YA THAT....
AIN'T NO WAY I CAN LOSE. VIOLENCE JACK'S THE ONE WHO'LL DIE. I'VE GOT IT ALL PLANNED OUT THAT WAY.... MIDO.
DON'T YOU DIE, MONDO. YOU CAN'T DIE. YOU CAN'T.... YOU CAN'T....
IF EVEN YOU HATED ME, I'D FEEL LIKE I WAS SURROUNDED BY A WORLD FULLA ENEMIES. MY HEART COULDN'T EVER BE AT EASE.
'CUZ EVEN IF I AM SCUM, I AT LEAST DON'T WANT YOU TO HATE ME.

JACK, LEMME GET A LOOK AT THE MAP.
IF I DIE....

COUNT ON IT!
HUHUHU, THAT'S WHAT I'LL DO.
YOU CAN SKIN MY BACK AND TAKE A PROPER LOOK.
NATURALLY, NONE OF 'EM ARE CARRYIN' ANY WEAPONS.
ALL THE GANG MEMBERS AROUND US ARE NOTHING BUT SPECTATORS.
TATSUMA MIDO IS OUR WITNESS.
BUT EVEN SO--
SINCE THEY DON'T HAVE WEAPONS, WE'D BE IN TROUBLE IF YOU RAN OFF WITHOUT TAKING PART IN THE DUEL.
THERE'RE OTHER GUYS AROUND HERE ON ALERT.
OF COURSE, IF YOU WERE A MAN, THERE'S NO WAY YA'D RUN AT THIS POINT....

I DIDN'T COME HERE FOR MY OWN SAFETY!
OF COURSE NOT. I CAME HERE TO RID KANTO OF YOU!
BUT THE GOLD OF EL DORADO ....
YOUR POWER WOULD THRIVE IN OTHER PARTS OF KANTO....
YOU SHOULD NEVER HAVE COME TO EL DORADO.
HAS CREATED A DEVIL IN YOUR HEART!
MONDO SAOTOME. YOUR BODY AND HEART HAVE ALREADY BEEN CORRUPTED BY THAT DEVIL!
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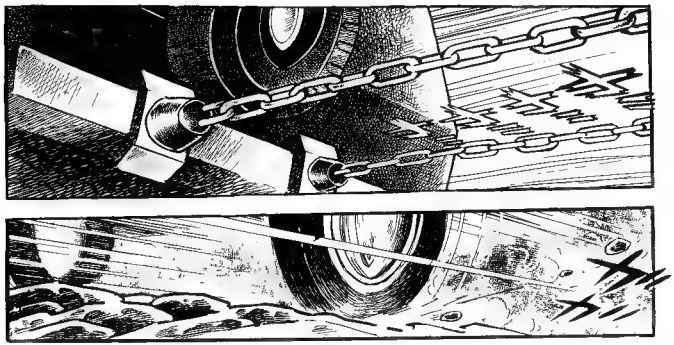
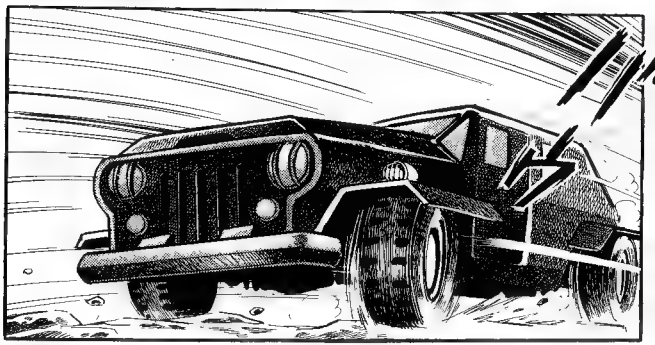
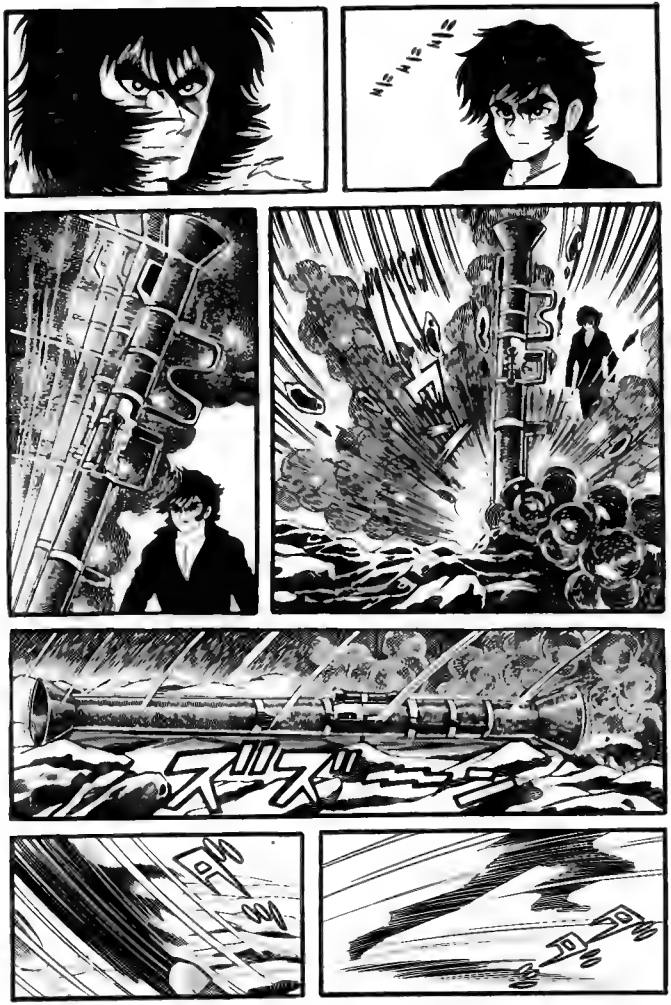
A DEVIL'S SEEDLING MUST BE CUT DOWN BEFORE IT CAN MATURE!
OK.
ME!?
YOU? CUT ME DOWN!?
WE'VE FINISHED LOADING THE BAZOOKAS!
EAST AND WEST OF THIS HILL, WE'LL PLACE ONE BAZOOKA EACH--
I'LL EXPLAIN THE TERMS OF THE DUEL.





MY DRAGON'S HEAVY CAVALRY CORPS, LET US BE ON OUR WAY!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THE MOMENT I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR ALL ALONG!
IT'S HERE!
EVERY-THING'S GONNA BECOME MINE!
IN AN INSTANT--

DIE! VIOLENCE JACK!

NO WAY! WHY DID JACK'S FIRE!?

GEEARGH!
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HU HA HA HA
DID YOU FIGURE IT OUT, MONDO!? THIS IS FOR CROSS!
AS IF I'D FREELY CEDE THE RAKSHASA GANG TO THE LIKES OF YOU!
AIEEEE!
GET HIM! STRIP THE SKIN FROM VIOLENCE JACK'S BACK!

WAAAAHH!

MONDO!!
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WAUH!
HE'S ALIVE!!
VIOLENCE JACK IS STILL ALIVE!

WAAAUHH
NOW IS OUR CHANCE TO DEFEAT VIOLENCE JACK. WE'RE NOT LETTING IT PASS BY!
VIOLENCE JACK HAS ONE FOOT IN THE GRAVE.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING? DEAL WITH HIM!

THE GATES TO THE GOLD WILL OPEN FOR THOSE WHO DEFEAT VIOLENCE JACK!
GET HIM !!
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YEEEEEK
JACK'S CORPSE WILL LEAD US TO A MOUNTAIN OF GOLD!
KILL JACK!

JACK IS NO GRIM REAPER. HE'S NO MONSTER. NOT ANY-MORE.
KILL JACK!
HE'S A WOUNDED BEAST! A MISERABLE BEAST WRITHING IN FEAR OF DEATH.
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TAKE HIM FROM A DISTANCE! HIT HIM WITH ALL THE BULLETS YOU'VE GOT!
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GEAARGH!
DON'T DIE!
MONDO

SOME-BODY!
COME TAKE MONDO TO A HOSPITAL!
CALL FOR AN AMBUL-ANCE.
KILL JACK!
KILL JACK!
KILL JACK!
KILL JACK!
KILL JACK!
AHHH! SEND FOR A DOC-TOR!
SOMEBODY, ANYBODY, YOU HAVE TO HELP MONDO!

GOT HIM!!
WE GOT VIOLENCE JACK!

THE GOLD IS IN OUR HANDS!
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THE GOLD!
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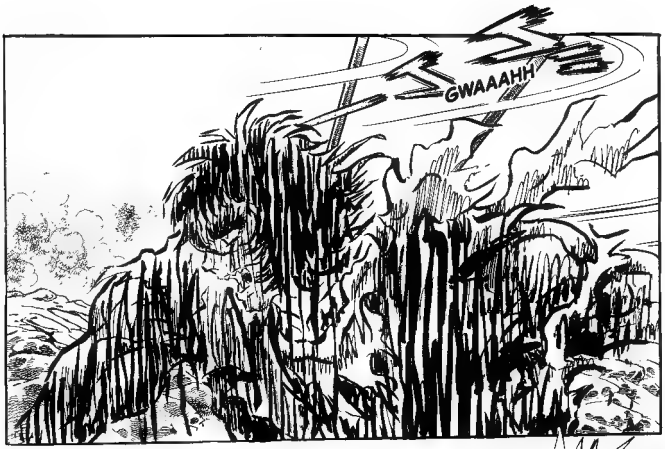
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THE DRAGON!

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HE'S A MONSTER !!

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HE'S A MONSTER !!
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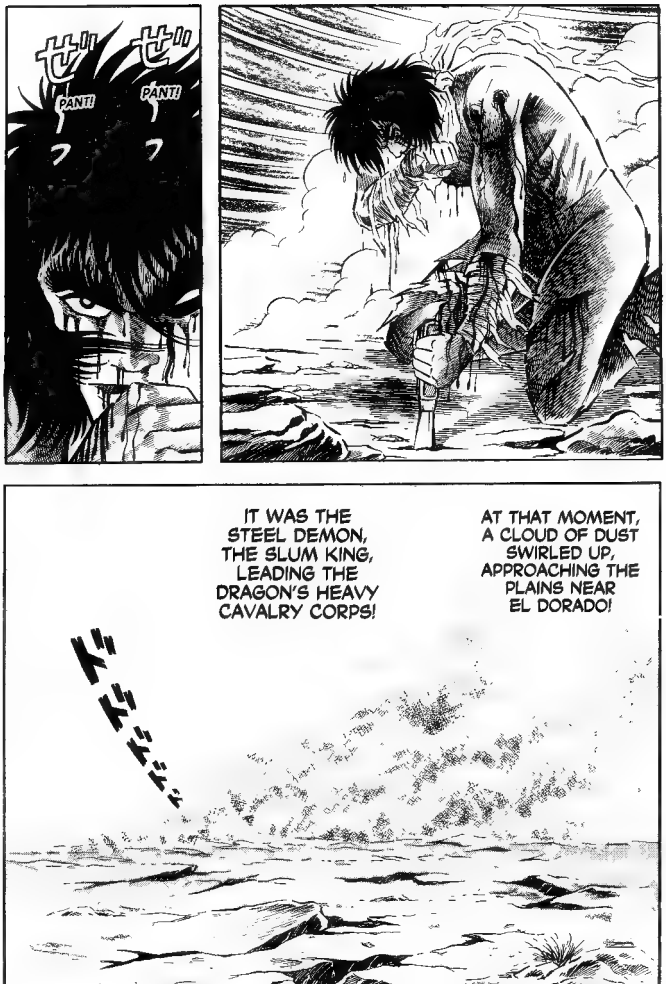
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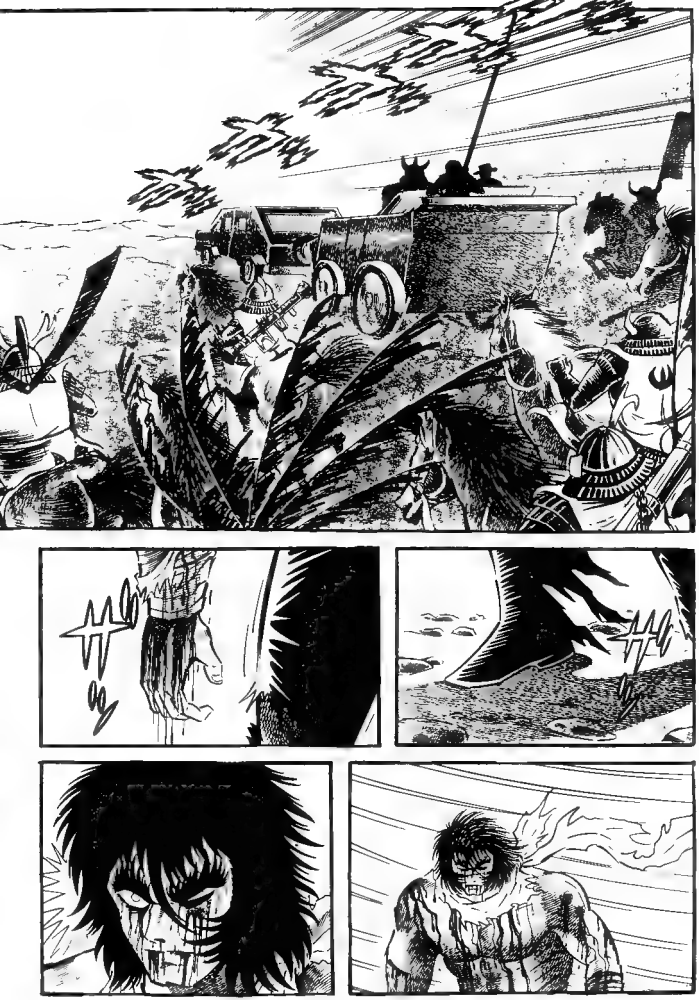
AT THAT MOMENT, A CLOUD OF DUST SWIRLED UP, APPROACHING THE PLAINS NEAR EL DORADO!
IT WAS THE STEEL DEMON, THE SLUM KING, LEADING THE DRAGON'S HEAVY CAVALRY CORPS!

MY SENSE OF FOREBODING INCREASES, THE NEARER WE GET TO EL DORADO.
THIS PLACE IS DREADFUL! WE OUGHT TO TURN BACK.
YOU CAN'T, MY KING.

WHAT ARE YOU SAYING? THIS IS A ONCE-IN-A-LIFETIME CHANCE!
WHAT IS IT....? THERE'S NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT. YOU'RE JUST TERRIFIED OF JACK....
IT'S YOUR SENSE OF DREAD TOWARD JACK, CLOUDING YOUR PRECOGNITION.
THAT'S NOT IT AT ALL!
PLEASE TURN BACK, MY KING!
A FEAR BEYOND JACK IS FILLING MY ENTIRE BODY.
YOU'RE SAYING I SHOULD LEAVE THAT BEHIND NOW!?
SILENCE! THIS IS A CHANCE TO DELIVER A FINISHING BLOW TO VIOLENCE JACK AND OBTAIN THE GOLD.



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WAUHH!
SLUM KING!

VIOLENCE JACK, I AM HERE TO CONDUCT YOUR FUNERAL RITES!
THERE IS A PRICE FOR BARING YOUR FANGS AT THE KING! NOW, ALLOW ME TO TEACH YOU!

HAVE YOU LOST THE WILL TO STAND BEFORE ME? HAHA HAHAHA
GHHUHUHU, WHAT'S WRONG, VIOLENCE JACK?

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WA HA HA HA HA
OR HAVE YOU COLLAPSED IN FEAR OF ME?
YOUR KILLER IS HERE!
HUHUHUHU, THAT'S RIGHT. JUST LIKE THAT, VIOLENCE JACK.

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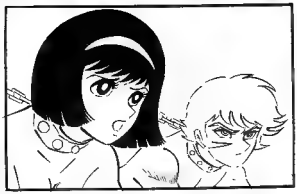

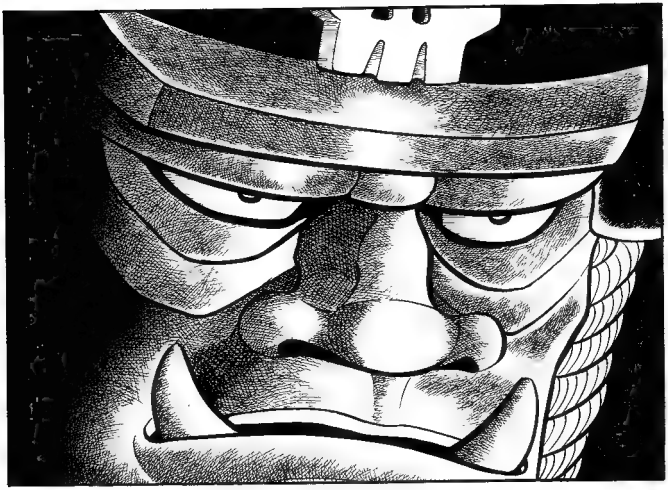

DAMN. MY EYES....
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LET'S DO THIS, VIOLENCE JACK!

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VIOLENCE JACK, YOU ARE THE ONE AND ONLY MAN TO EVER FACE ME HEAD-ON IN BATTLE!
I WILL PRESERVE YOUR HEAD IN FORMALIN IN HONOR OF THE MEMORY.
IT SHALL BE ETERNAL.
NOW DIE! JACK!

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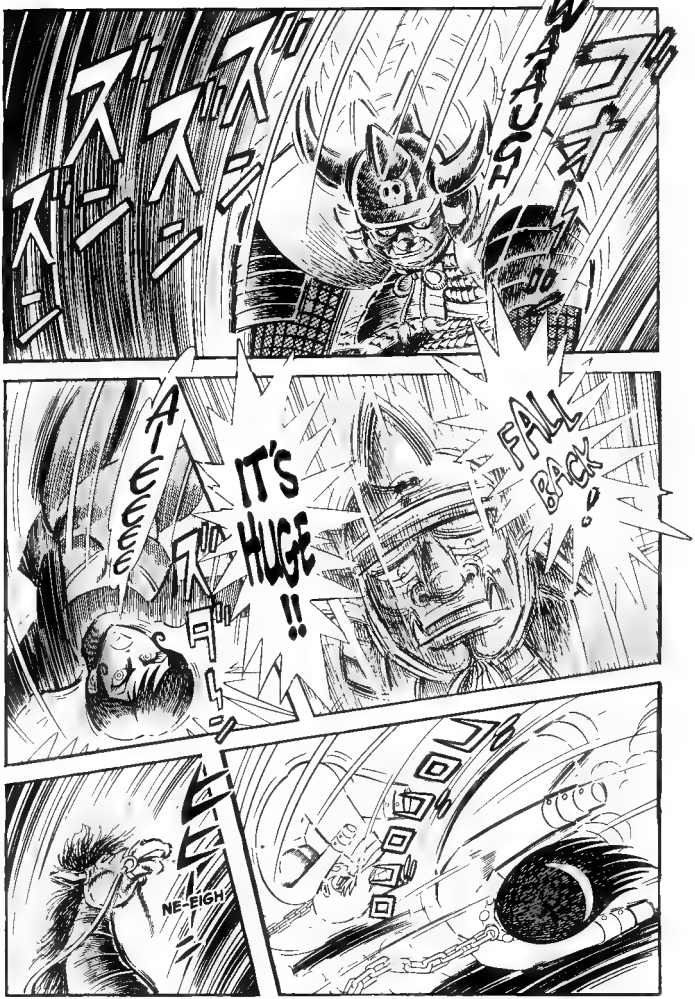
IT'S AN EARTH-QUAKE!
IT WAS! THE ENTIRE REGION AROUND EL DORADO WAS SINKING TO THE BOTTOM OF THE SEA. IT WAS A SECOND KANTO HELLQUAKE!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FALL BACK!
IT'S HUGE!!
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MORE THAN A YEAR SINCE THE KANTO HELLQUAKE, KANTO WAS STRUCK AGAIN, BY A SECOND KANTO HELLQUAKE!

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I WILL NOT DIE!
NO WAY I'M DYING!
I WON'T DIE!
I'LL TAKE ROOT IN KANTO AND SURVIVE!
TO AVENGE MONDO!

FOR AS LONG AS IT TAKES TO END VIOLENCE JACK'S LIFE!

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IT'S HOPELESS. SEEMS LIKE EVERYTHING AROUND EL DORADO SANK INTO THE SEA.
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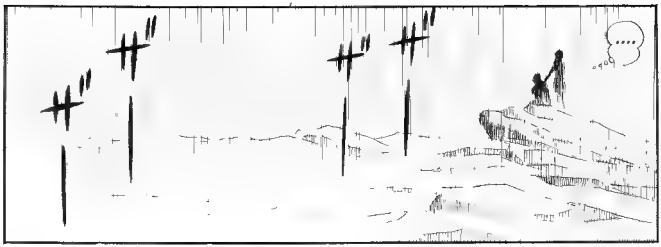
THEN, THE GOLD....
SANK, TOO....

ANYONE WHO WAS AROUND THAT REGION IS BEYOND HELP.
YEAH, HE'S PROB'LY GOT NO CHANCE.
AND EVEN VIOLENCE JACK....
I'M GONNA SEND A SURVEY TEAM TO CHECK WHERE THE GOLD SANK.
SEE YA IN A BIT.
IS IT BECAUSE JACK IS DEAD....?
TAKUMA, YOU'RE CRYING....
YEAH ....

SO YOU HAVE NOTHING TO BE SAD ABOUT!
ISN'T THAT THE LAW OF NATURE JACK TAUGHT YOU, TAKUMA?
JACK IS DEAD BECAUSE JACK WAS WEAK.
ISN'T THAT RIGHT?
WHY IS THAT SOMETHING TO CRY OVER?
NOT SOME MAN WHO COULD RESTORE KANTO! NOT SOME STAR OF HOPE FOR US!
EVEN HE WAS NOTHING MORE THAN A WEAK HUMAN.
YOU HAD TOO MUCH FAITH IN JACK, TAKUMA.
I CAN'T HOLD BACK THE TEARS!
I REALLY DON'T GET IT!
YOU DON'T NEED TO CRY FOR THAT!
I KNOW THAT.... BUT EVEN SO....
I KNOW ALL THAT!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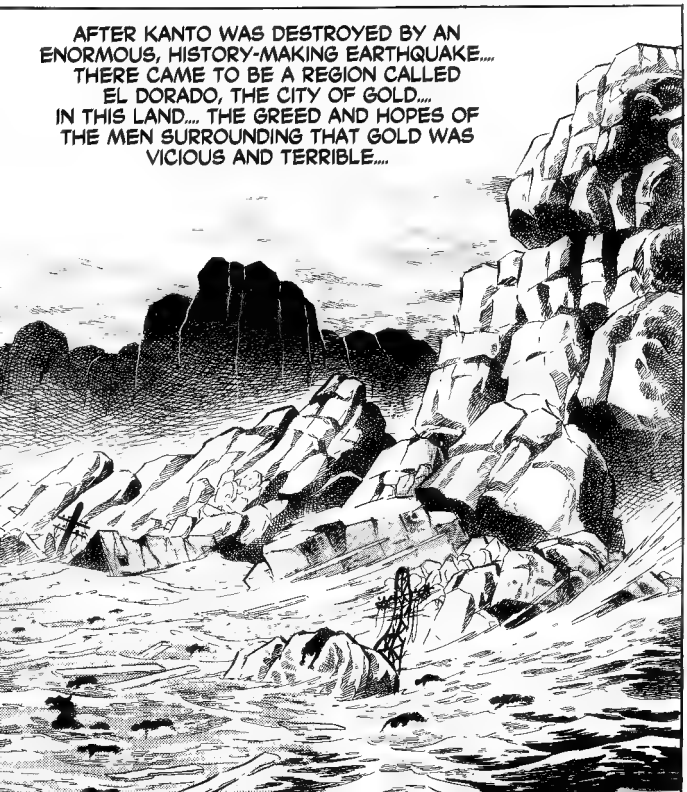
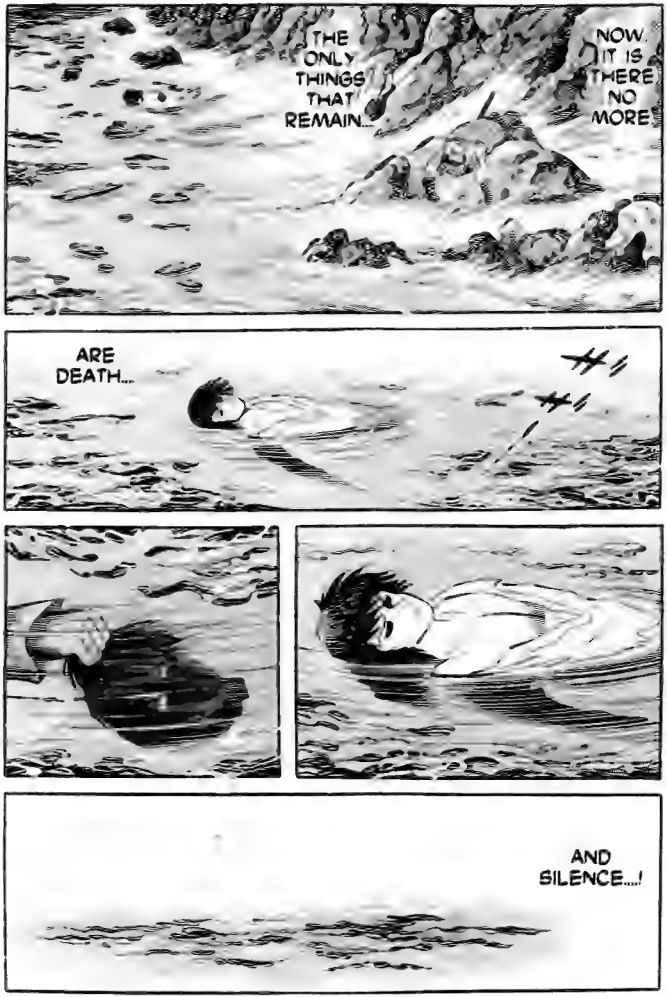
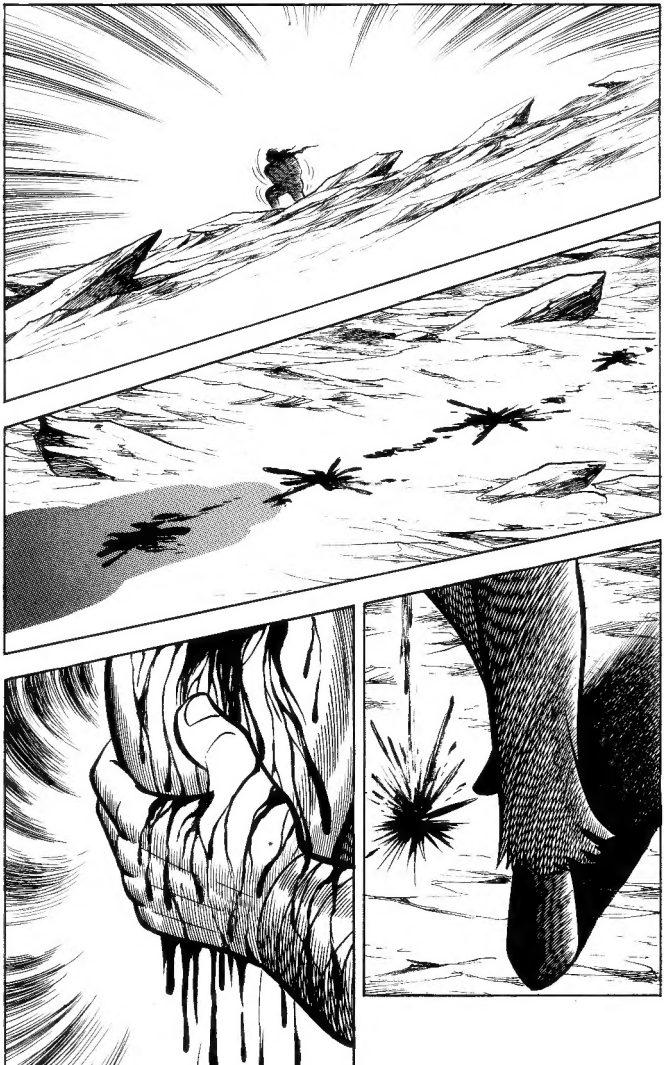

AFTER KANTO WAS DESTROYED BY AN ENORMOUS, HISTORY-MAKING EARTHQUAKE....
THERE CAME TO BE A REGION CALLED EL DORADO, THE CITY OF GOLD....
IN THIS LAND.... THE GREED AND HOPES OF THE MEN SURROUNDING THAT GOLD WAS VICIOUS AND TERRIBLE....


THE ONLY THINGS THAT REMAIN...
NOW, IT IS THERE NO MORE
ARE DEATH...
AND SILENCE...!



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